# FIRES OF KILAUEA

Big Crowd of Visitors Going to the Volcano.

BASE BALL CRAZE STRIKES HILO.

Electric Lights Suffer Temporary Embarrassment-Three Sudden Deaths Within the Week-Road Building

HILO, (Hawaii), Aug. 2.-With the renewed activity of the fires of Kilauea large crowds of people have been attracted to the scene of so much grandeur. Not only tourists are taking advantage of this recurrent outbreak in Madame Pele's domicile, but island people as well are flocking toward the spot of wonderland. Mr. Lee states that forty guests departed from his hostelry for Hilo during the past two days. As many as fifty have been accommodated there at one time this week. The lake is steadily rising, having come up as much as two hundred feet. In all probability it will continue to rise until another overflowing of its branch be established in Hilo. banks is caused. The demonstrations are rather unusual at present, inasmuch as the fires of the lake seem to appear at regular intervals of from one and one-half to two hours. At such times the scene is most fascinating and grand, as the entire surface breaks day morning. into one flery flow from which great fountains are shot upwards to a considerable height. The weather at the seers were much entranced by the of the Waiakea river. beauty and picturesqueness of their thirty-mile drive.

No arrangements have as yet been reopening of the hotel, but from the many rumors regarding the various negotiations under way, it cannot be long before some definite riverse. long before some definite plans have been decided upon.

Baseball craze has reached the Hilo boys with all its enthusiasm. Last Saturday's game drew an immense throng of spectators to the Hilo Board- Went Out on Monday to Avoid ing School grounds, where the Hilos and Holomuas vied with each other for runs for the third time, success falling on the Hilo team on this occa-The score stood 38 to 28.

Mr. Abercrombie of Olaa is hard at work with his nine whom he hopes will be able to defeat the Hilo teams at the first crossing of bats.

The Hawaiian circus has not claimed packed houses during this week's performances, and the trick to which the manager recorted for drawing a crowded tent for their farewll performance was anything but commendable, to say the least. The directors of the concert for the benefit of the Haili Church would certainly have sent out circus," and Messrs. Price and Burns pended such a notice to their posters.

The concert given under the direction of Mrs. Brown and Mr. Kapahe at Freinan's Hall Saturday evening was largely attended, and satisfactory returns were reaped for the benefit of the Haili Church. Most of the music was very well rendered and received well merited applause.

Owing to a break down in some portion of the machinery at the electric light works on Thursday there was an absence of that illuminant in the evening and a consequent scrambling for stowed-away lamps. The company were unable to repair the damages until Saturday when the town was once more radiant with electric lights. This has been the first serious inconvenience the company has encountered.

There were three sudden deaths re ported in the district this week. On Monday morning the unconscious and almost lifeless body of E. B. Bartlett was found lying on the floor in his house near Wainaku. Dr. Moore, who was called stated that the old man had probably received a paralytic stroke and had undoubtedly been in the condition found for at least 26 hours. He died at eight o'clock Monday evening without having regained consciousness. Mr. Bartlett has lived in and around Hilo for a great number of years, working at his trade, that of machinist, and is supposed to have a fortune saved somewhere. A family Levy was at his house in Kalihi, and survives him in the States.

On Tuesday the dead body of a Chinese was found in his hut at Waiakea. time and death was not unexpected.

A Portuguese laborer, Antonio de in the field. A coroner's jury returned Kalihi. a verdict in accordance with the above facts. He was over sixty years of age.

Over one hundred prisoners are at the veranda. work on the Hilo-Hamakua road at present and are making splendid pro- told him that the Marshal wanted to gress in building the new road, Driving see him. At this Levy exclaimed, "My is good now as far as Onomea, and God!" and then sighed. before long the road will be completed to Kaawanui.

up its presses and machinery in the me do it-made me run away." Canario building on Church street near send out the initial copy by the middle

of this month. Prof. Price and his balloon sallied forth from the circus grounds on the Beach Road about 7 o'clock last Saturday evening, ascending some 3000 to if afraid of being seen, 4000 feet. The balloon shot upwards quickly then sailed slowly through mid arrival at the police station he re- followed the establishment of sugar cured the most malignant cases, both nearly two miles distant was reached. There the descent was made with the parachute. Another ascent was made yesterday, but as the course of the balloon seemed seaward, Prof. Price did this was done,

not wait long to make his descent with the parachute, landing on the side of a building almost opposite the circus

grounds. The Hilo Social Club gave another of its popular entertainments on Thursday evening last at the hospitable home of C. E. Richardson. Topical conversation, carried on by means of engagement cards, occupied most of

the evening.

J. A. Scott of Wainaku expects to leave for the coast shortly and will remain a couple of months, returning here with Mrs. Scott who is now at Brooklyn, N. Y. Hon. W. R. Castle and son are guests

of Sheriff Hitchcock. Mrs. Birnie, wife of Rev. Mr. Birnie

of Honolulu, is visiting the family of L. Severance. L. C. Ables of Honolulu returns to his home on this Kinau, after an inspec-

Progressing Rapidly-News Notes, tion of his coffee lands in Kona and a visit to Madame Pele and Hilo. Archie Steele, manager of the Hilo Tribune, made a personal inspection of

the flery lake this week. Mrs. W. S. Terry spent several days at Olaa with Mrs. C. A. Furneaux.

Prof. Alexander and daughter came lown from the volcano. Mr. Lewers and son are at the hotel. Although a resident on the islands for nearly forty years this is Mr. Lewers

first trip to Hilo and the volcano.

Mr. and Mrs. L. Grant are stopping at Hon. D. H. Hitchcock's. Mr. Stokes of New York addressed the First Foreign Congregation on the 'Mission of the Young Men's Christian Association." After stating the benefits of the association he urged that a

Mrs. Davis of Honolulu is at the home of A. B. Loebenstein.

The Kinau has over 60 passenger booked for tomorrow. The bark Annie Johnson, Matson master, leaves for San Francisco Tues-

The Roderick Dhu is expected in a day or so.

The schooner Ada brought in a cargo Volcano House and in Hilo has been of lumber and material for the new perfect today, and the returning sight- soap works to be erected on the bank

Commissioner Marsden is spending the week at Kailua, Kona.

His Creditors.

HE WAS MUCH WROUGHT UP.

Business Affairs in a Tangle He Could Not Unravel - Could Not Stand Competition-Brought Back by Policemen and Sent Home.

their notices of postponement if they business on Fort street, next to Lewis had entertained any notion of "defer- & Co., for the past three years. It has ring their concert on account of the been known for a year that his business farewell performance of the Hawaiian was falling off and that it was only a question of time when he would give deserve a severe censure for having ap- way to the competition in his lines. Last fall he made a chattel mortgage on his entire stock in favor of Theo. il. Davies & Co. for \$2,000, which will probably cover the amount of his indebtedness to that firm. Among his other creditors are several jobbers in town. He has no outside debts.

Whatever his debts may amount to have been contracted since he began business for himself a few years ago. Prior to that time he was with his brother-in-law, S. Ehrlic, when the latter was conducting the Temple of Fashion at the corner of Hotel and Fort. Levy's wife is Ehrlic's sister, and she has helped him in the store since he began business. Levy is a man with no extravagant habits, and his losses have accrued in a legitimate business way.

Mrs. Levy was spoken to regarding her husband, and said she had heard nothing from him; she merely knew that he stayed away from home Monday night, but she was ignorant as to his whereabouts.

At 6:55 p. m., just about the time the reporter was in conversation with Mrs. Levy, Harry Cannon of the Palama grocery reported to the police having seen Levy in his store in the morning and that he was on his way by bus to Moanalua. Cannon said Levy talked with him for twenty minutes,

At 7:20 p. m. the bookkeeper of the Kalihi Fertilizer Works reported that that he had called there Monday afternoon. This message was received over the telephone, and at the time it was The deceased had been ill for some sent Levy was sitting on a lounge on the veranda.

The matter was reported at once to Costa, employed at Waiakea by J. S. the Deputy Marshal, who sent Officer Canario, died suddenly of heart dis- Logan and Mounted Patrolman Foster ease on Wednesday last while at work in a hack to J. F. Hagen's home in

Upon arrival, at about 7:45 o'clock Levy was found lying on the lounge on

Patrolman Foster accosted him and

He was put into the hack and had got but a little distance when he said: "It The Hilo Herald Company is getting is too bad to be arrested. Fear made

The question was asked him, "What Front. Manager Bradford expects to do you fear?" whereupon Levy an- his labors alone. swered, "I never robbed anybody: I have always been fair and square in my when white settlers in the country were

marked that his debts had caused his action

should be taken to his home, and upon the year 1877. For the same reasons he for bowel complaints. For sale by all

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Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Goodale and daughter contemplate a trip to the coast this month.

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helpless sufferer, longing to be releas- ing employment. ed, but patiently waiting the will of the Master.

was by trade a hatter, but becoming 1893.

1869. A number of school houses built under his supervision and suited to the requirements of those times, together with the large stone church in Iole, still

stand as monuments of his labors. On the urgent request of Chief Justice Lee, in behalf of the native Hawaiians, in 1850, when a part of the lands until then held as the property of the King and chiefs, was by them set apart for the people and thrown upon the open market, and when competent surveyors were not as plentiful as they are at the present time, Mr. Bond assumed the duties of Government agent for the sale of lands, and surveyed them for those who would buy. Not, however, relinquishing the special work for which he came to these Islands, and which no offers of Government service in high office, nor equally good offers to engage with others in mercantile business, could induce him to give up. His duties as land agent ceased in 1862.

Compelled by the exigencies of the times in answering the combined demands of providing for domestic as well as religious and educational wants, he was by turns carpenter, stone mason, painter and man of all work, in a way Rev. Dr. Elias Bond passed peaceful- not appreciated by occupants of the ly away from this life at half past one pulpits in these days of comparative last Friday morning, July 24th, within case and comfort, in a healthy and viga month of completing his eighty-third orous young Republic that enjoys all year. For five years he had been con- the modern conveniences of steam fined mostly to his bed, and for over power, electric light and telephone and two years had been a constant and an ample supply of skilled labor seek-

Owing to the effects of advancing age, he was compelled to resign his pas-He was born in Hallowell, Maine, and torate, which took effect December 31

early converted, he decided to prepare | In 1874 he founded the Kohala Girls



THE LATE REV. ELIAS BOND.

himself for the ministry, and with that | School, which opened its doors for act end in view entered Bowdoin College ive operations on the first day of De-One of the mysteries of the year is in Brunswick, Maine, from whence he cember of that year, and continued unthe disappearance of M. S. Levy, a mer-chant who has been conducting a small from the Bangor Theological Seminary Lyons as principal. in Maine in 1840, he offered his services to the American Board of Commission- financial aid and co-operation of friends ers for Foreign Missions, and was as- and as a means of supplying employ ling to join him in that kind of work. and who ever afterwards proved to be a laborious and devoted help-meet. Having been united in marriage on the 29th of September, 1840, they sailed from Boston in the ship "Gloucester," which bore to these Islands the fourth installment of missionaries to this land, being the late Rev. Daniel Dole, Rev.

> J. D. Paris and W. H. Rice, with their wives, all of whom have long since of labor, with the exception of "Mother Rice" who still remains. After a tedious passage of six months around Cape Horn, including a stoppage at Rio Janeiro for repairs, this notable company landed in Honolulu on May 21st, 1841, during the annual

meeting of the missionaries. Sailing thence not long after the adjournment of the meeting, the subject of this sketch, with his life partner, arrived at their final destination in North Kohala, Island of Hawaii, where they remained until the day of their respective deaths, neither of them ever returning to the shores of their native land, with the exception of Mr. Bond who took a brief trip to San Francisco for his health in 1869 or 1870, returning

by the same vessel by which he went. Shortly after their arrival Mr. Bond opened a boarding school to accommodate a dozen boys, which he continued for thirty-six years, sending out therefrom over 300 boys well trained in manual labor, besides being otherwise fitted, after passing through the Hilo Boarding School under the efficient training of Rev. D. B. Lyman, and the High School at Lahainaluna, to become prominent men and leaders in the pulpits and the schools of the neighboring islands of the Pacific, as well as of their

native land. Mrs. Bond also started a day school for young women or girls, whom she inducted to the mysteries of sewing, and which she kept up until the increasing cares of a growing family in addition to other labors of a character well known to workers in mission fields.

compelled her to discontinue. On the 12th of May, 1881, Mother Bond was released from a life of practically incessant toil and self-sacrifice. and Father Bond was left to continue

few and far between, Father Bond perwhich he held until near the close of & Co., Agents for H. I.

After laboring for years to secure the signed to duty in the Hawaiian Islands, ment for the natives, who were rapidly He found in Ellen Mariner Howell of moving to Honolulu, where a livelihood Portland, Maine, a person who was wil- could more readily be secured, success crowned his efforts and the Kohala plantation was started in 1863, under the corporate name and title of the Kohala Sugar Company. This could in no sense be considered a venture for personal aggrandizement, as, notwith standing the fancy prices ruling for sugar, as viewed from the present time, their fellow passengers and co-laborers the machinery and process of sugar manufacture were comparatively crude extravagantly wasteful, and no sugar plantation up to that time had been a passed away from these earthly scenes financial success to its adventurers, but decidedly the reverse

Twelve years rolled by before the Kohala Sugar Company declared a dividend, and it was then rescued from a precarious condition only by the opportune passage of the Reciprocity Treaty with the United States in 1876. His income since that time received from the plantation has been almost entirely devoted to the cause of religion and education in foreign lands, as well as at home, through the various mission boards and educational societies, one of his latest donations in that line being for the relief of the sufferers for the cause of religion in Armenia.

His heart and soul were bound up in those twin promotors of all that is good for the human race-religion and education. Needy individuals also received his generous consideration.

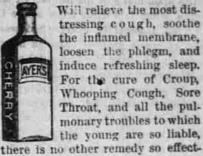
Neither asking for nor seeking wealth for his own aggrandizement, as he often had occasion to say, he was favored to a remarkable degree during the later years of his life with the means for promoting those interests to which he had devoted his life. In spite of weakness and suffering, his mind was bright to the last, and he took an active interest to the very end in the welfare of those who were about him, and in the stirring events that were taking place in his adopted land and elsewhere, and his conception of a life of happiness in the future world was that it should be a life of labor.

The eight children still living, are Mrs. Ellen Bond Bicknell of Honolulu. E. C. Bond, Dr. B. D. Bond, George S. Bond, Carrie S. Bond, Abbie S. Bond, Julia P. Bond of Kohala, and Rev. W. L. Bond of West Branch, Mich.

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